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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
TATSUSHI KATAYAMA ET AL ) : Examiner: Not Yet Known  
Application No.: 09/624,385 ) : Group Art Unit: Not Yet Known  
Filed: July 27, 2000 ) :  
For: IMAGE SYNTHESIS METHOD, ) :  
IMAGE SYNTHESIS APPARATUS, ) :  
AND STORAGE MEDIUM ) : August 22, 2000

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under  
37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under  
37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is  
directed to the following U.S. applications:

| <u>APPLICATION NO.</u> | <u>FILING DATE</u> | <u>GROUP ART UNIT</u> |
|------------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|
| 08/719,716             | 09/25/96           | 2776                  |
| 09/163,344             | 09/30/98           | 2721                  |
| 09/264,721             | 03/09/99           | 2851                  |

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(2)(iii), no  
copy of any cited U.S. Application is enclosed.

CONCLUSION

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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